

**NOTIFICATION OF INTENT TO AWARD-CALIFORNIA HEALTH
BENEFIT EXCHANGE**

MARCH 19, 2012

**HBEX6: SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH OPTIONS DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT
UNDER THE LEVEL I ESTABLISHMENT GRANT**

In consideration of the response to the California Health Benefit Exchange Contract Solicitation HBEX6- the Exchange announces its intent to award a contract to PricewaterhouseCoopers, LLP of San Francisco, California.

The awardee will participate with the California Health Benefit Exchange in the execution of the final terms and conditions of the Contract for this award.

This award will be final at the end of ten day period allowed for protest of the award, which has now been set as 5:00pm on Monday March 26, 2012. Any protest of the tentative award must meet the criteria in Item 11 of the HBEX6 Contract Solicitation, which is available under the Solicitations Tab on the Exchange website: www.healthexchange.ca.gov.